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CITIZENSHIP IS BEING TAUGHT

New Canadians Attend Special Classes In High School Every Wednesday Night—Are Making Every Effort Possible To Become Canadianized—Principal Don Awde Is Making The Learning Of Basic English An Interesting And Simple Process.

(By RICHES AND BRYDON)

Up at Grimsby High School last Wednesday night we saw and heard something that made us feel real good inside. Seven men: Michael Hryniewicz, Michael Lofek, Tony Polowy, Steven Korol, Jeffrey Omelchenko, John Lewicki, Joseph Gierat, Jerry Holawacki and Steven Kalamvnecky; and four women: Anna Mikula, Alina Kramanias, Mrs. S. Kalamvnecky and Doral, her daughter, were learning the language of freedom.

Since January 17th, when Don Awde, principal of G.H.S., was authorized by the Department of Education to conduct a class for New Canadians, people such as these have been learning English. Back in January Mr. Awde started out with three pupils, today there are eleven persons of Ukrainian, Polish and Latvian origin enrolled in the course recommended to them.

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WINERIES MAY REDUCE 1948 GRAPE PURCHASES

Absorbed 23,000 Tons Last Year—One Winery Has More Grapes Under Contract Than Will Be Needed.

The grape requirements by wineries for 1948 may be half the amount used last year, it was learned Monday afternoon from a spokesman of the Canadian Wine Institute, which has just completed a survey of wineries in the Niagara Peninsula.

A total of 23,000 tons of grapes was absorbed by the wineries in 1947, but this year it is felt that inventories are adequate and that requirements may run from 14,000 to 16,000 tons. This would be approximately half the 1947 total.

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LINCOLN HEALTH UNIT HAS FOREIGN VISITORS

Doctors And Dentists From Overseas Countries Inspect County Set-Up—Some Wore Native Dress.

On Friday, April 23rd, the St. Catharines-Lincoln Health Unit had as its guests many distinguished public health officials. These doctors and dentists were from many distant parts who came to see a typical health unit made up of rural and urban population.

Dr. M. H. Brown, Director of Field Work for the School of Hygiene, University of Toronto, was in charge of the party who are completing a year of post graduate work, and will shortly be leaving for public health positions throughout the world.

Two doctors are from China, two from Yugoslavia, one from Syria, Jamaica and Nigeria, the latter created much interest by wearing his native costume. The other visitors were from practically every Province of Canada.

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HE SPEAKS AT BEAMSVILLE TONIGHT



Premier George A. Drew of Ontario will open the Ontario election campaign in the Community Hall, Beamsville, tonight at the big Progressive Conservative Convention and nomination meeting when a candidate will be selected to contest Lincoln. Everybody is welcome to this meeting.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PLAN BIG ADVERTISING CAMPAIGN

Will Bring Advantages Of Grimsby To Attention Of 20,000 Visiting Industrialists From All Parts Of The World At Big Toronto Trade Fair.

A directors' meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held on Wednesday, April 21st, to further discuss advertising Grimsby to some twenty thousand delegates expected from all parts of Europe and United States to the International Fair being held in Toronto in June of this year.

A map showing the advantageous location of Grimsby, made up by one of Mr. Don Awde's pupils Donald Hawes, was accepted as one means of attractive advertising.

The Committees on Town Planning and available industrial sites reported progress was being made and expected more to report in the near future.

The directors are pursuing their intention of encouraging industry to Grimsby as the first of a number of progressive steps being taken.

LINCOLN COUNTY HAS EXCELLENT SERVICES

Citizens Are Served By Three Branches Of The V.O.N. As Well As Health Unit Nurses.

Lincoln is the first County to have complete nursing services from both the Victorian Order of Nurses, and Public Health Nurses from the Health Unit. There is no overlapping of services because they work closely together, but the work of each agency is considerably different. Each group of nurses is acquainted with the work of the other, and there is a routine way of transferring information from one agency to the other. This has been set up by the Supervisors of the Victorian Order of Nurses, and the Director of Nursing.

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HONORED BY COLLEAGUES

Thomas W. Allan Tendered A Testimonial Dinner By Township Council—Served North Grimsby In Various Capacities For Half A Century—Many Over Four Score Mark Present At Village Inn—Many Highlights Of Olden Days Recounted.

Thomas Allan, who retired from municipal life in North Grimsby Township recently after 5 years' service as member of council, reeve, warden of Lincoln County, and, for the last 35 years as township clerk and treasurer, was honoured at a complimentary banquet, tendered by the Township Council in the Village Inn, last Wednesday night.

The gathering was featured by attendance of many old associates, several of whom have passed the 80-year mark. Included in the number were three other former Reeves of the township and wardens of the county—William Mitchell, John Lawson and Fred Oakes.

"No man has ever filled municipal positions in a more honourable manner than Mr. Allan," said Reeve M. S. Nelles, who presided. "The members of this council are indeed glad of the privilege of

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"CAMEOS OF THE DRAMA" IS WELL RECEIVED

Large Audience Greeted Dickson-Kenwin, Who Gives Fine Performance Of Comedy And Drama.

(By RICHES)

Drama-lovers in the Grimsby district were treated to a rare thrill last Friday night when Dickson-Kenwin presented "Cameos of the Drama." The enthusiastic audience was enthralled for two hours listening intently and enjoying every word in this great British actor's repertoire. Mr. Dickson-Kenwin was brought to Grimsby by the Grimsby Players' Guild so that members of the Guild and others interested in the Theatre could hear and see a really fine actor interpret both tragedy and comedy as it should be performed.

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BEAMSVILLE C. OF C. HOLD DINNER MEETING

Presentation Made To First President Of Organization—Will Stage Motorcycle Races.

The Beamsville Chapter of Commerce held another highly successful smoker at Taylor Autotel last Wednesday night, with over fifty members and guests present.

The fast growing organization which was formed just about a year ago, had the fortune to have as its first president Mr. P. C. Cornell, whose past experience with Chamber of Commerce work in other centres, has benefited the Beamsville Chapter considerably in its infancy.

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SERVICE RECOGNIZE

Recognition of the fine and alert service to the public welfare of Miss Field Headle, night operator of the Bell Telephone Co. of Grimsby, is given that young lady by the Company in the April issue of "Blue Bell", the official publication of the company.



The photograph of Miss Headle was accompanied by a short story of her fine work in connection with the break-in of Dymond's drug store last winter. The Independent asked the publishers of the "Blue Bell" for a loan of the cut and it is with pleasure that we reproduce it here.

HOSPITAL SITE

At a meeting of West Lincoln Memorial Hospital Board on Saturday last, on a ballot vote, it was decided that the M. S. Nelles property on No. 8 Highway East, next to the property of Mrs. George Hoshal, be purchased as the site for the erection of the new hospital. The vote stood 4-3 with one spoiled ballot and Mr. Nelles refraining from voting.

While it was pointed out that it would cost considerable to abandon the old site the consensus of opinion was that for a long range policy this feature would be outweighed.

It is expected that a special meeting will be called shortly to complete details in connection with the site and the building.

LIBERAL CONVENTION NEXT MONDAY NIGHT

Will Be Held At Community Hall, Beamsville—No One In The Field As Yet.

John Franklin, secretary-treasurer of the Lincoln County Liberal Association, announced Monday that a convention will be held at the Community Hall in Beamsville on May 3, at 8:30 p.m. Election of officers for the current term will be held and a candidate for the coming provincial election chosen.

The convention will be combined with the annual meeting and a large attendance is expected. John Robinson, a Toronto barrister, is expected to be the speaker of the evening but confirmation of this has not as yet been received.

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CONFIDENCE IN POLICE FORCE REAFFIRMED BY THE COUNCIL

HE RUNS THE STORE OF 1001 THINGS



Mel Johnson, proprietor of Johnson's Hardware, is one of Grimsby's younger businessmen. He is a director of the Chamber of Commerce and a prominent member of the Lions Club. He is married and has two children. He was born in Blenheim township but don't hold that against him. He is a great booster for the further development of the Fruit Belt.—Photo by Robert Aldrick.

EIGHT YOUNG SPEAKERS TAKE PART IN LIONS CLUB CONTEST

BELL TELEPHONE WILL ERECT NEW BUILDING

Expected That Stoney Creek Office Will Be Finished By Autumn—Will Be Dial Exchange.

The contract for the construction of the Bell Telephone's first exchange building in the Fruit Belt has been awarded to W. H. Yates Construction Company Limited of Hamilton, according to H. T. Stewart, Bell manager for Grimsby and vicinity. This building will be erected at Stoney Creek.

Designed by Prack and Prack, Hamilton architects, the one-storey building of brick and reinforced concrete is expected to be completed this summer or early fall.

With an area of 27 feet by 29 feet, the trim modern building will initially house sufficient dial apparatus to serve 1,000 subscribers. Installation of the equipment will be completed in time for the change over to dial operation in the spring of 1949.

Audrey Leonard Of Simcoe High School And Charles Pullen Of Fort Erie Chosen As Winners Of Oratorical Contests—Grimsby Beach Girl Made Very Fine Impression.

Three young ladies and four young men, all pupils of secondary schools in District A2 contested in the fourth annual oratorical contest, sponsored by Lions International at the Village Inn on Friday night.

The high calibre of each of the contestants made the problem of picking two winners a most difficult task. Speaking on either one of two subjects, each contestant showed remarkable originality and aptness of thought, and all delivered their twelve minute addresses in a manner very professional.

Since the inception of Oratorical contests by Lions International, the idea has gathered momentum, and each succeeding year, the calibre of the orators has increased considerably. The purpose of the whole idea is best outlined in the Lions booklet of rules. To provide

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Complaint Tabled Regarding Protection Given Beverage Rooms Thoroughly Discussed—Charges Now Pending Against Three Men As Outgrowth Of Trouble Of Two Weeks Ago—Councillor Braid Again Asks Council To Increase Force To Three Men.

At a special session of Town Council last night, council by unanimous vote passed a resolution reaffirming their confidence in the local police force and expressing their belief that the force was administering its duties in a competent manner, all other reports to the contrary.

The meeting was called at the instance of Councillor Braid, Chairman of the Police Committee to consider a written complaint from Gordon Hannah re police protection and to secure a clear cut idea as to just what the police situation was as regards to beverage rooms and people who create disturbances therein.

The complaint was the outgrowth of a disturbance that occurred at the Hotel Grimsby two weeks ago, or rather two disturbances on two succeeding nights. Mr. Hannah was present at the meeting as was Police Chief W. W.

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NEW MUSIC LIBRARY WILL OPEN SATURDAY

Over \$150 Worth Of Records Now On Hand Which Can Be Rented By Residents At Nominal Fee.

The new music records are here, and circulation will begin on the coming Saturday!

Chosen by a committee of K. C. Baxter, T. L. Dymond, G. L. Eaton, and Donald Kennedy, the records now established on the shelves at Phipps was the purchased of the basis of what is hoped will become an extensive record library.

One of the committee, K. C. Baxter, will be appointed to the regular Library Board to guide its policies as far as the music end is concerned.

Records may be borrowed at the (Continued on Page 13)

FAMOUS SINGERS ARE COMING TO GRIMSBY

Orpheus Choir To Give Concert In Trinity Hall On Friday Evening, May 7th.

Music lovers are in for a treat on May 7th, when one of the outstanding choirs in Canada will be in Grimsby. The Orpheus Girls' Choir is perhaps the top girls choir, consisting of over thirty-five talented, teenage girls, who have won wide recognition as a vocal ensemble.

Organized nearly seven years ago, the choir has had a fine record of achievement having performed numerous concerts throughout Ontario, as well as over fifty radio broadcasts.

Perhaps the outstanding feature of the choir is the excellence of tone, diction and intonation which is brought out by the leader Miss Rhena I. McElroy, A.T.C.M., from her group of young voices, whose work would suggest voices of a more mature quality.

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GOOD NEWS FOR TAXPAYERS

County Council Sets A Record

Lincoln County Council set a record for 1948 to date on Tuesday last when Warden Frank Laundry of Beamsville and the members completed the month's business for April in six hours and adjourned until May 18.

The session proved to be one of the quietest and speediest on record, and Clerk W. H. Millward only tabled two items of correspondence for the consideration of the council. Instead of spending the whole morning discussing road problems as is usually done on the opening day of council, the members on Tuesday not only completed the committee sessions on roads but also wound up their work in regard to finances and general administration before the noon lunch

hour had arrived. The remainder of the business was quickly run through during the afternoon hours.

During the Road Committee meeting under the chairmanship of Reeve Harold S. Freure of Clinton the council approved the report of Superintendent F. E. Weir on revenue and expenditure for the County road system. Reeve Ivan D. Buchanan of Grantham presided at the short meeting of the General Administration Committee. Final details of the 1948 budget were completed during the morning at the sessions of the Finance Committee under the chairmanship of Reeve Leonard J. Hoare of Meriton and it was approved by the council.

A lengthy report of Dr. D. W. Curry, Medical Officer of Health of the St. Catharines-Lincoln Health Unit, was received, one of the council's two items of correspondence. He informed the members that the unit has caught up with the back-log of immunization work and has done considerable work in regard to water supplies and milk production.

Dr. Curry also expressed hope that he would be able to meet with the council of the various municipalities of Lincoln in the near future to discuss their problems. The council was requested by Dr. Curry to consider making some type of award to eating establishments.

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PREMIER DREW AT BEAMSVILLE.

Big Conservative Convention

Hon Charles Daley, Ontario Minister of Labor and member for Lincoln, will definitely stand for re-nomination as the Progressive Conservative candidate for the county.

"If it is your wish, I will stand," he told an executive meeting of the Lincoln County Progressive Conservative Association in the Welland House last Thursday night. He refused, as entirely false current rumors that he had accepted a position in industry and would not be a candidate.

Mr. Daley said he would definitely be a candidate again. Mr. Daley, former mayor of St. Catharines until his election to the legislature, said: "I have tried to do my best for the people of this riding and the people of the province in a very contented job."

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would be the guest speaker at the convention, firing his main opening blast in the election campaign. His talk will be carried over CKTB at 9:30 p.m., and will probably be heard over a special provincial network. Mr. Stork emphasized that the convention would be open to all interested.

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province to the full and to maintain its accredited position, huge expenditures of money will be necessary. He felt it was time to ask the province, "Are you satisfied?"

"He is the greatest man with the greatest capacity to absorb knowledge that I have ever met," Mr. Daley continued. "He has the general welfare of the people and the province at heart."

Mr. Daley thanked the members present and the people of the riding in general for all they had done in the past for him, and said that if elected he would continue to do his best. He pointed out that he would have to rely on Lincoln County to carry him, since he had to speak on behalf of the government in many other places.

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FACTS & FANCIES

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

WHAT IS WRONG WITH BOY SCOUTS

What exactly is wrong with the Boy Scout movement? Although we are reminded periodically of the Boy Scouts, their work, and their play, all too vivid is the knowledge that for the most part, it is an unknown group of young boys and leaders doing what they can to make an impression on the public.

The organization is one that should not need to be sold, but in this highly commercial era, it appears as though this is the only solution. The term Boy Scouts must be sold to the people.

Steps along this direction are now being taken by Dominion Headquarters, and within a short time, each district will have what is to be known as a public relations man.

This office is not to be confused with publicity, for they serve two distinct purposes. Public relations involves attitudes, conduct, and appearance. This then is coming close to what can be done to further guarantee the public's support of this proven organization.

In a town the size of Grimsby, there should be at least a hundred boys eligible for Scouting. Yet, we find that only about a third of this figure are connected with the Troop, and this applies to most all centres. This deplorable condition can be blamed on a number of reasons, one of which is the appearance of a Troop when in the public eye.

The uniform of the Boy Scout is without a doubt one of the best drawing cards in interesting the non-Scout into joining the movement. And yet, we seldom if ever see a Troop on parade completely uniformed. So, instead of giving a smart appearance, often a Troop gives a rather slipshod appearance, certainly not one that is going to attract either a possible candidate or for that matter the people at large.

Consider the Scoutmaster. He fully realizes the need for a completely uniformed Troop, but he cannot accomplish this without the interest of parents, and the boy himself, who could, with little difficulty outfit himself in the uniform that should be worn proudly. For to belong to the Scouting movement is to belong to the best young boys' organization in the world. It would then be the job of the public relations man to constantly urge the boys in each troop to attend to this matter of uniform.

Conduct and behaviour also enter the picture, and again this angle cannot be stressed strongly enough. Some persons are of the opinion that if a boy is a Scout, he is expected to act and behave on a plane above the boy who does not belong to the movement.

This is true to a point. However all too often, leaders and others forget that a boy is a boy, and regardless of his Scout training, youthful vigor and vitality must show itself. A leader who cannot understand his boys is not a successful leader. It is therefore essential that a leader be broadminded, and youthful enough to keep in mind, that not so long ago, the same troubles his boys give him, are but a reminder of his own youth. Youth cannot be squelched, and it should not be, for in youth, the future is moulded. If a leader rules with an iron hand, until such time that his Troop takes on a militaristic pose, then the whole "game of Scouting" is lost. Discipline—certainly. But not a discipline that comes from anything else than respect from the boys themselves. That is the only real way to govern a Troop. Through respect.

Only as long as Scouting deserves public support will it receive it. Therefore it is important that every available means is used to establish an even better understanding of the purpose and ideals of Scouting, and what it means to the public in the present and the future.

Character is what you have left when you have been stripped of everything else you can lose.

Curiosity is one of the most permanent and certain characteristics of a vigorous intellect.

FISHING AN ANCIENT SPORT

As the fishing season opens, the thought of countless people turns to this sport, which has been popular in all ages. People fished long before the dawn of written history began. Primitive peoples caught the fishy creatures by various methods, prominent among which were primitive devices used in place of fishhooks, called "gorges."

These gorges were made of stone, bronze or bone, and pictures of them show grooves or holes in their centres, apparently so that a fish line could be put through them. The bait would completely cover this device. When the fish would swallow the bait, the device would turn across the fish's gullet, and hold him secure. One of these gorges, a relic of the stone age, was discovered in France, and is about 8000 years old.

Early California Indians used hooks made out of shell, and Puget Indians used the spine of a cactus as a hook. Such relics of the prehistoric past show how the ancient peoples were able to think out ways to obtain their food, and tell of the long hours of toil they spent in making their primitive instruments.

It is supposed to be that ancient people fished largely to obtain food, but no doubt it gave them pleasure when a big one was lifted out of the water. Probably they had moments of disappointment when they lifted a big one out, but with his powerful motions he was able to wriggle free and drop into the water again.

It is a grand old sport, and many people feel happy when they get out to the fishy waters.

If any verification of the above facts are needed you can make application to Doug Scott of the Scott Fishing Tackle Co.

VALUES AND FACE VALUES

The farmer, or his father before him, bought his land at a fraction of its present value. Yet a plot of ground varies little from year to year. It remains in the same place under the same sun. It achieves no added value of itself. What makes it worth more is the courage and determination and the heart-breaking effort that is put into it.

Or, take the man who starts a small business. He has an idea and a readiness to support it with money and thought and years of effort. We do not grudge such men a return for their toil.

But, somehow, as undertakings grow larger, some men lose sight of this simple equation. The case then isn't that of a farmer or a small businessman, whose problems and whose efforts they can understand. The large business has become distant and impersonal, and its profits appear as something else than the profits of farmers or merchant.

Mr. M. J. Coldwell is an intelligent man, yet he loses touch with this reality when he speaks on a bill to increase Bell Telephone stock. He cannot see the great as well as the sharing a common right. "If people," he said, "are prepared to pay \$8162 for something that has a face value of \$100 that, of course,

BIG BUSINESS IN BOX TOPS

(By Josephine Ripley in The Christian Science Monitor)

Millions of Americans are off on a new kind of "gold rush" lured by the prospect of giant jackpots, bouncing cash prizes, and fabulous grab bags of merchandise from diamond wrist watches to airplanes.

Radio contests shows are hitting a new high in Hooper ratings. American housewives are accumulating more boxes without tops than they know what to do with in a lifetime.

Prizes collected in this booming something-for-nothing bonanza are estimated to total between \$12,000,000 and \$15,000,000 a year. An entirely new kind of "brokerage" business has sprung into being as a result of it, and advertising specialists who handle the judgments are working at top speed with full staffs.

The radio give-away programmes are a comparatively new development in the contest field. The prizes are generally merchandise, and the brokers are those who act as commission men between the program sponsor and the manufacturers who donate the merchandise.

This occupation is given various names, including product exploitation, merchandise counsel, prize brokerage, and prize package production.

It seems to be a fairly happy arrangement. The manufacturer donates his refrigerator, or stove, or whatever it may be to the program, and in return gets a "plug" on the air. The program gets a free prize—and the broker who engineered the exchange gets a commission.

Some of the biggest give-away shows include the "Miss Hush" contest and "The Walking Man," both conducted as benefit programs. Winner of the latter received merchandise estimated to be worth some \$22,500, including a \$1,000 diamond-ruby wrist watch, a Cadillac sedan, an airplane, a boat, clothing, home furnishings and a vacation trip to Sun Valley.

Meanwhile, there has been a noticeable boom in the advertising contests, promoted through magazines and selling housewives to pencil chewing on why they like Hey-Choo Soap Foam in 25 words.

It is reported that one woman became so intent upon winning that she bought soap by the case, stuffed her closets with dozens of tubes of tooth paste and innumerable bottles



Nothing is harder on the clothes of a woman than her enemies.

Perhaps the world will turn to common sense when it has tried everything else.

"Jimmy" Lawrie driving the town team, and Alton Scott giving them the double "O".

Candidates for the June election will have plenty of kissing to do—brides and babies alike.

Congratulations to the St. Catharines Standard. This lively Lincoln County daily newspaper celebrated its 57th birthday on Wednesday, April 21st.

is their business."

But face values aren't real values. The face value of the farm, by this reasoning, would be the original price paid for it, and of the business, the original investment. And what was the face value of Bell Telephone stock when it was pegged at \$80? What made it worth more than whatever face value it might be given is the story of 75 years.

Seventy-five years ago when Graham Bell made his first call from his home on Tutela Heights, near Brantford, to his neighbour's house, the telephone hadn't any face value. Even the people who watched the experiment thought of it only as a neat parlour trick. Nobody saw its real significance.

Today in Canada there are almost two million phones, serving one in every fifteen homes, making life easier and its development possible. Somebody dreamed that dream. Somebody, indeed many people, took a long chance to make that dream come true.

Without these original investors there would have been no telephone; without their successors, those people, so foolish in Mr. Coldwell's eyes, who invested more than the face value, we would still be turning a crank on an antiquated contraption.

It all adds up to the same effort and daring that made the farm and the business exceed their face value. Surely then it is entitled to the same reward.

of month wash in an effort to swamp the judges with entries.

At last count, it was estimated she had submitted 40,000 entries—and never won a thing.

Others seek to place their entry out front by spectacular presentation, like the contestant in an ice-cream-alog contest who submitted her slogan blotted out in letters made of ice cream, and personally delivered her work of art in a refrigerated carton. After all that, she forgot to enclose her name and address. Agencies handling these contests report that many entries are automatically disqualified by failure to follow contest rules.

The volume of entries is generally determined by the size of the prize offered. One of the largest of these—a \$100,000 first prize offered in a contest in 1937—brought in some 2,000,000 entries.

All of these contests come under the close scrutiny of Government officials. It is the job of the Federal Trade Commission to make sure that the whole thing is on the level and that nothing's promised in the advertising which the company is not prepared to fulfil.

Treasury officials keep a close eye on the big money winners to make sure that this income is declared on Federal Tax returns.

There is considerable doubt in the minds of officials here as to whether the winners are always select, wholly on the merit of their entry. It is then for granted that prizes will be widely distributed geographically and not centred predominantly in any particular section, regardless of the high quality of the entries from that area.

But the matter of distribution is not one which comes under Federal jurisdiction. The principal responsibility of Government officials, under the law, is to make sure that there are no false misrepresentations in the contest advertising, and that the company will do to the letter what it promises.

The biggest contest of all time came during the depression of the 1930's. It petered out during war, but has come back now with such momentum that experts are predicting contests were to stay as one of the nation's most fabu forms of "big business."

'WAY BACK WHEN

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

If the chicken coop behind the cabinet shop and large house (Temple Bldg.) of Johnny Moore, situated on the Coach Road, in the hamlet of "The Forty," had not caught on fire, one cold and frosty day in December, 1885, Grimsby might not have today its well organized, well maintained, modernized fire department. Who can tell?

Records do not tell whether the crop was totally destroyed or whether the chickens therein were roasted or just singed. But the mighty conflagration was suffice to stir the citizens of the little hamlet into action and on the night of December 19th, 1885, a meeting was held in Randall's Tavern (Mansion Apts.) for the purpose of organizing the Grimsby Hook and Ladder Co. I do not know where the hook and ladder wagon came from, but apparently they had one sticking around somewhere. At this meeting A. J. McKay was elected Captain; John H. Gurney, 1st Lieut.; W. A. Cole, 2nd Lieut.; W. H. Gurney, Engineer (it is not mentioned what he was engineer of) and H. E. Nelson, Sec.-Treas. A committee was appointed to draft by-laws and a constitution for the company. J. A. Nelson, W. E. Nelson, and J. A. Rutledge, were appointed a committee to solicit subscriptions for the support of the company. This business being transacted, the meeting adjourned to the tap-room for refreshments. Whiskey was 50 cents a gallon, then.

The company was to meet again on January 16, 1886, but not sufficient members showed up to make a quorum, so no dice. But a meeting finally was held on May 18th, 1886, at Randall's, when Wm. Forbes and E. J. Palmer put through a motion that Capt. McKay and Engineer Gurney, be a committee to solicit funds for the company. Meeting adjourned to meet on May 25th, but again there was not enough for a quorum and the meeting was adjourned until June 1st, a Friday, but that meeting was never held as on that day and date the Grimsby Company of Volunteers of the Lincoln Militia were called to duty to stem the invasion from the United States of the Fenians. No more meetings of the company were held, due to military duty, until December 30th, when W. August Cole became Captain and the other officers were also changed. Another committee was appointed to solicit subscriptions and report at meeting on the first Monday in January, 1887.

Whether the last named financial committee succeeded in garnering some funds from the tight-fisted citizens and decamped with the spoils, I cannot say, but anyway that meeting was not held until the 23rd of March, 1888, when Wm. Forbes was elected Captain and believe me, the records show that he hung on to that job for a lot of years. He would, W. S. Spillette was the newly elected secretary. All the officers were appointed a committee to solicit subscriptions.

At the April 6th meeting they had a full turnout of members but no business to discuss, except to change the place of meeting to the Town Hall. Something must have gone wrong with that idea for the meeting of May 6th was still held at Randall's. Committee on subscription collection reported, no progress. Money must have been tight. Captain Forbes announced that henceforth all officers not attending meetings would be dismissed from the company. So there. At this meeting in '88 the purchase of a fire engine for the company was first mooted. The secretary was instructed to prepare subscription lists, one to be left at each store, for the purpose of raising the much needed \$80 necessary to purchase a fire engine. Apparently they did not get the required amount of cash for it is some years before we hear tell of that fire engine again.

The constitution and bylaws drawn up two years previous were passed and adopted at this meeting. They moved cautiously in the old days. Once again a motion was passed that the next meeting be held in the town hall, also that the Coach bell on Marlett's Tavern be rung for the purpose of calling the members to meeting one-quarter of an hour previous to the meeting hour of 7 p.m. (Marlett's Tavern, was the present Johnnies' 1000 Things Hardware and was the local stage coach office and horse changing station. The bell on this building was rung upon the arrival of a coach from either direction. The bell was found in the building at the time, some years ago, that the now extinct Grimsby Club took over the property, and is in the possession of the Bert Marlett family of Hamilton, a grandson of the proprietor of the Tavern.

There must have been something wrong with the town hall as a meeting place, for I find that the June meeting was again held at Randall's. It may have been that the town hall was too arid. Edwin Mpell having failed to heed the warning of Captain Forbes and attend meetings, he was removed from his office of 2nd Lieut. and Charles Colgate elected in his stead. Discipline must be maintained. At this meeting two new officials came into being. W. H. Nelson was elected 1st Steward and Hugh Henry Anderson elected 2nd Steward. Just what a first and second Steward was, or is, with a fire company is far beyond my comprehension. The newly elected 2nd Lieut. presented the company with a new lantern. Thanks.

On November 2nd, the first meeting since June, little business was transacted, except to pass a resolution that the company meet the next Monday at the town hall and also meet there each succeeding Monday that month. All officers were to see that their equipment was in proper shape by next Monday in order that the hook and ladder wagon can be moved (from wherever it was being kept) to the Drill shed.

The drill shed referred to, stood on the north-west corner of the property where the public library now stands. The old town hall and grammar school stood on the south-east corner of the same property, or what is now the corner of Depot and Adelaide streets. The old drill shed was on this spot for many years and was then moved directly north and faced out on Victoria avenue and converted into an apple evaporator by the late Jack VanDyke. In 1888-7-8-9-90 the upstairs portion of it was used as Grimsby's first roller rink. This building burned down in 1887, and was replaced by the large concrete building that now houses Merritt Bros. basket factory. Yours faithfully.

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By ALICE ALDEN
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Hello Homemakers! At the time of writing the weather templa one to wash all the Winter woollens and hang them out in the Spring breeze. However, when one reads of places for washing clothes such as they have in New York, one wonders! There the homemaker can take her bundle down to the corner laundry where she is assigned a washing machine. She puts the clothes in the machine, a quarter in the slot and turns on the water, adding the required amount of soap, sets the dial and then settles down to read any of their magazines. In fact there is a note at the top of each story as to reading time. Finally she takes her wet wash home and hangs it out in her own backyard.

Coming back home, we made a brief survey of laundering costs. Whether to send the weekly wash to commercial laundries or to buy an automatic, non-automatic or semi-automatic machine and do the job at home, is a problem for many women.

Laundry practices of city and farm families were compared and found to be similar. Few families soaked the wash and most homemakers used the same suds water for all the clothes. A majority put the clothes through two rinse waters and used the same rinse water for the entire wash. Except for actual rinsing, very little hot water was used. Farm women do their wash at home but few have stationary tubs and ironers.

Laundrying costs approximate twenty-five dollars a year with the non-automatic washer, minus rinsing facilities, and slightly more than twenty-five dollars with the automatic machine. These compare favourably to commercial laundries where a wet wash can be done for you.

Although there are not many repair jobs necessary for the carefully operated washing machine, costs are necessarily higher for automatics. Major points in the automatic's favour are their energy saving qualities, no puddles to mop and a cleaner wash.

The homemaker must decide for herself which she can afford to save most—time, money or labour.

1. Hard water for laundry purposes prevents thorough cleansing. A soda tank is the most efficient way to soften water and it pays dividends in soap saved and in longer life to fabrics. For delicate fabrics (woollens and nylons) use one teaspoon of borax per gallon of water; mix well, then add soap. Washing soda or other commercial softeners are fine for linens and cottons—but only if added before the soap.

2. To whiten cotton and linen fabrics (white or colourfast) you may bleach with chloride of lime solutions. It is most necessary to rinse in 3 waters afterwards, otherwise any remaining bleach will weaken the fabric. Bleaching will brighten delicate fabrics which cannot be bleached. To prevent streaking, it must be thoroughly mixed with the last rinse water.

3. Ironing is a time-consuming job and can be tiring. To reduce labour, hang the wet clothes carefully. Shake out and hang bed linen, towels and face cloths, square with the line. When they are dry, shake again, fold and put away. Fold towels and press them. Sittling on a stool to iron the straight things and a good firm ironing board at the proper level both make the job easier.

THE QUESTION BOX

Mrs. A. F. T. asks for heat method to wash woollens.

Answer:

1. Use lots of warm water (never boiling hot).

2. Soften with borax (about 1/4 cup for average tub). Add soap dissolved in hot water first.

3. Shake out free dust. Measure knitted garments.

4. Never operate machine for knitted goods and others which require only 5 minute washing. Place in another suds if badly soiled.

5. Squeeze, do not twist to remove water from light garments. Or place woollens through a wringer with light pressure. Hold the fabric up as it goes through wringers to keep its shape.

6. Hang woollens in a warm breeze to dry. Never let garments freeze, nor place near direct heat.

7. Shrunken and felted woollens may be partially restored by steaming. Use a heavy pressing cloth

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quite wet. Stretch carefully while pressing over cloth, but do not press dry.

Miss P. J. asks: How can I take and ink stain out of a pink woolen sweater?

Answer: If it has not been washed yet, use lemon juice or salts of lemon solution. Apply on the spot, leave 15 or 20 minutes, rinse it out and apply again. Soak ink from

stain into a blotter.

Anne Allan invites you to write to her c/o The Grimsby Independent, Grimsby, Ontario. Send in your suggestions on homemaking problems and watch this column for replies.

A biologist says that man is older than the ape. Thus it seems that the ape is the one who aped man.

No, Hum! It's rather odd if you can locate an odd-job man now-a-days.

Human nature is what makes a person think an April fool's joke is funny if some other person is the butt of the joke.

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By PRUNELLA WOOD

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With the gown is a capelet which has long sleeves, and which buttons at the throat beneath a Peter Pan collar. This is a New York designed model, but it will get around all the other States, and quite a few neighboring countries, now that Spring travels are in order.

Strictly Canadian by Claire Wallace

At least three times a day, everyone is interested in food and, almost as often as that, letters come to me from readers who want to know how to get certain foods from plate to palate in the most correct and graceful manner.

Take fruit for instance. Is the banana, peach, or apple eaten in the fingers or with a fork, when dining at the table? If it's juicy, better eat it with a fork. The thing to avoid is getting one's fingers juicy or messy.

The banana may be broken in half, if it is firm, peeled, one half at a time, and eaten in the fingers. If soft, peel the banana half-way down, eat the fruit that far, peel and eat the rest.

A juicy peach is halved with a knife and fork, pit removed; a half or quarter peeled at a time, holding the peach-section on the fork in the left hand and using the knife in the right hand to peel.

The apple is most easily handled when cut in quarters, each quarter peeled, cored and eaten in turn. Fingers used, not forks.

Of course, pears, grapes, apricots are too small to handle with knife and fork and are eaten in the fingers.

Strawberries, if served with hull, are picked up, one by one, in the fingers. If sugar is desired, a little mound is placed on the plate and each strawberry dipped before eating. Hulled strawberries are eaten with the fork; when served with liquid cream, strawberries are eaten with a spoon.

A pit from fruit is never dropped from mouth to the plate. The fork or spoon is used to transfer it to the plate. If utensil is not available, drop the pit into the palm of the cupped hand, from there, to the plate. This must be done as unobtrusively as possible.

Olives, radishes, celery, nuts, when passed to you, are put on your bread and butter plate, or on the side of the plate from which you are eating. Nuts may be placed on the table cloth, but preferably on the plate.

"Dry" food, such as a chop or cutlet served on toast, is lifted complete with toast to your plate. However, if you don't want the toast, it may be left on the serving platter. Such items as sweetbreads and mushrooms should be lifted on the toast and, of course, chicken-a-la-king and creamed foods should be lifted on the toast.

And now comes that trickster—spaghetti. According to a school teaching the correct method of eating the slippery stuff, just three long strands at a time are lifted on the fork which is held in the right hand. A dessert spoon is held in the left hand, and, with spaghetti caught on the fork, the lines are pressed against the bowl of the spoon and turned until the spaghetti is curled neatly on the fork in a portable bundle and can be popped into the mouth. A tip—dry cheese, sprinkled on the spaghetti lavishly, will help prevent skidding from the fork.

QUESTIONS—ETIQUETTE—ANSWERS

BEST WISHER. Vermilion, Alberta, reader asks: "Which is proper—to wish a girl happiness or congratulate her when she becomes engaged?"

ANTIQUE KNITTING
FRAME IN MUSEUM

An old stocking frame bearing the date 1743 is now in the possession of the Provincial Institute of Textiles, Hamilton, Ont. where the staff and students are trying to get the right type of needles so that the machine can be placed in operation again as a relic of an earlier day.

Brought from England by Samuel Lennard, who founded the S. Lennard & Sons Limited, at Dundas, Ont. in 1878, the stocking frame has been kept by the firm as a curiosity long out-dated by modern high speed hosiery knitting machines.

CONDITIONS LISTED
TO MAKE HER HAPPY

A woman commentator says that to be happy a woman needs:

A man who recognizes her good qualities and is willing to put up with her faults.

At least one woman friend with whom she can be honest.

Children so that her maternal instincts won't be misplaced or completely thwarted.

Enough work so that she never has to cook up ways of killing time.

At least one interest outside her family as an outlet for self-expression.

A home of her own which she can run to suit herself.

A plan for the future so that she is always working toward some goal.

The capacity to throw off petty annoyances so that they can never get her down.

Enthusiasm and a keen sense of enjoyment so she can find pleasure in even the little happenings of everyday life.

Friends with faults so that she can in her own mind figure out just where they are making their mistakes and thank heaven she knows better.

Enough self-assurance so that she isn't unduly concerned over what other people think of her or of her ways of doing things.

A sense of humour because laughter lightens any load.

Acceptance by a congenial social group, preferably one whose members aren't a great deal better off financially than she is.



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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

undertaken to benefit Grimsby and the surrounding district. The President, Watson McPherson, brought up the question of membership fees and after some discussion it was decided that General Membership would be \$3.00 and all business men, manufacturers and industrialists \$10.00.

As it is imperative to have money to carry on it was further decided that all directors would be on the Membership Committee and canvas all previous and prospective members to renew their membership.

BEAMSVILLE C. OF C.

As a token of appreciation for his efforts as the first President a beautifully inscribed silver tray was presented to him by John Hunter on behalf of the organization.

Bill Rennie, editor-publisher of the Beamsville Express was appointed as 1st Vice-President, filling the vacancy left by the resignation of J. Harford Cox.

It was also announced that the Chamber would again bring motor-cycle races to the half-mile oval at the Fair Grounds on June 8th. This attraction drew capacity crowds last year, and it is expected

that the meet will be bigger and better this year.

Several local entertainers assisted in making the evening a most enjoyable one. Jack McCausland and Don Beamer of the Grimsby C. of C. were guests of the Beamsville Chamber.

CAMEOS OF THE DRAMA

The two part show called "Cameos of the Drama," the first part of which consisted of scenes both dramatic and humorous from the works of Shakespeare and Dickens. Perhaps Mr. Dickson-Kenwin felt he should give an extra fine interpretation of his scenes from Shakespeare, for it was the anniversary of Shakespeare's birth on Friday and he certainly did; rising to great heights in the Ghost scene from Hamlet (in which he played both Hamlet and the Ghost) and in his characterization of the dying Cardinal Wolsey from Henry VIII.

The second part of the show opened with a very humorous piece wherein the actor imitated several speech-making characters who belonged to an organization for the distribution of blankets and top-boots among the natives of the Canadian Islands. His satirical sketches in this comic sequence brought forth many laughs and re-

lieved the tension which was built up during the terrific drama of the preceding part.

I think it was an outstanding performance, one which anyone interested in dramatics was extremely fortunate to see in a community the size of Grimsby.

Dickson-Kenwin took a great interest in the Guild and, indeed, gave the members of the local dramatic organization much good advice. Miss Isabel Stevenson helped in the performance in the last selection on the program with an excellent portrayal.

LIBERAL CONVENTION

Since their meeting last October, when H. P. Caves was elected president of the Lincoln County Liberal Association, reorganization of the entire county has been underway. Meetings have been held in several city wards to plan future strategy.

To date no one has voiced their intention of running for the provincial legislature but county Liberal officials stated that there will be a strong contender in the field.

WINERIES MAY REDUCE

One winery official pointed out that he had under contract more grapes than he needs and that it is now necessary to dispose of part of the amount under contract. The consensus among wine producers is that purchases will be governed by the price set this year, but that even a sizable reduction in price will not bring purchases up to last year's level.

In view of the omibse 1948 setback in grape buying, the representative of the wine institute said, some concern is being expressed as to how farmers will fare who do not now have contracts for 1948 crops.

Most of the Niagara Peninsula's annual grape crop is absorbed by the wineries and reduced purchases will work a hardship on many growers, who may find it difficult to market their grapes.

COUNTY COUNCIL

meets that meet the required standards of sanitation and cleanliness. The letter was ordered filed by the council.

At the sessions of the Agriculture Committee, presided over by Reeve Leslie H. Lymburner of Calmar Township, the council approved a grant of \$25 to the Lincoln County Junior Farmers regarding used exhibits in 1947 a recommendation by last year's committee. The council, however, said that any future requests for grants by the Junior Farmers be made to the Lincoln County Federation of Agriculture.

Deputy-Reeve Robert Dawson of

Niagara Township presented the report of the Industrial Home Committee and accounts presented by Reeve Murray Misener of Gainsborough for the Charity and Welfare Committee were approved by the council. Deputy-Reeve John B. Aikens and his Assessment sub-committee were authorized by council to provide appraisal sheets for the assessors of the Lincoln municipalities at cost.

The council went on record as not in favor of endorsing a resolution forwarded by the County of Peel for approval. The resolution requested the Provincial Government to provide that fixed assessments shall not apply to or affect taxation for county purposes.

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racial origin.

Over seventy persons assembled for dinner, with delegations present from Fort Erie, Ingersoll, Oakville, Kitchener, Georgetown, Simcoe and Grimsby. The eminent board of judges were Messrs: Dr. L. G. Bristol, Assistant Professor of Biblical Studies, McMaster University; V. L. Belyea, Principal, Saltfleet High School; R. C. Everett, Toronto; H. B. Matchett, Grimsby, and Romaine Ross, Port Dalhousie.

Their task was not an easy one, as each of the contestants had inspiring addresses. However, by narrow margins, Miss Audrey Leonard, Commercial student of the Simcoe High School, and Charles Pullen, seventeen-year-old student of Fort Erie High School were selected as the two winners, and by winning, now have the opportunity of going on to the finale which will be held in the near future.

Audrey Leonard chose as her subject, "Liberty, Intelligence, Our Nation's Safety." Well poised in every respect, her remarks showed an intensive study of her subject. A well modulated voice and an in-

tuitive knowledge of the art of public speaking gave her a slim margin of victory over Miss Olga Stepoway, Grimsby High School student. Miss Stepoway's address was probably the most intensive and best constructed address of any of the contestants, and for her should be a bright future in the public field.

Charles Pullen, winner of the boys' contest delivered his address in a fashion that gave one the impression that it was not a prepared address, but rather a knowledge of his subject through study, and delivered casually, yet with feeling, and exceptional enunciation.

Following presentation of cash prizes to each of the contestants, brief addresses of appreciation were heard from P. V. Smith, and W. A. Phipps, officials of District A2, Zone 5, of the Lions.

Entertaining musically on the program were Lions Dick Mitchell and Herman Terry.

A Louisiana man married his mother-in-law. Now he has probably quit laughing at mother-in-law jokes.

TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR

The typographical error is a slippery thing and sly; You can hunt till you are dizzy But it somehow will get by. Till the forms are off the press it is strange how still it keeps; It shrinks down into a corner And it never stirs or peeps. The typographical error is too small for human eyes, Till the ink is on the paper, When it grows to mountain size The boss, he stares with horror Then he grabs his hair and groans.

The copy-reader drops his head Upon his hands, and moans. The remainder of the issue May be clean as clean can be But that typographical error It the biggest thing you see. Irish News

Don't times change? Necessities now cost as much as luxuries once did.

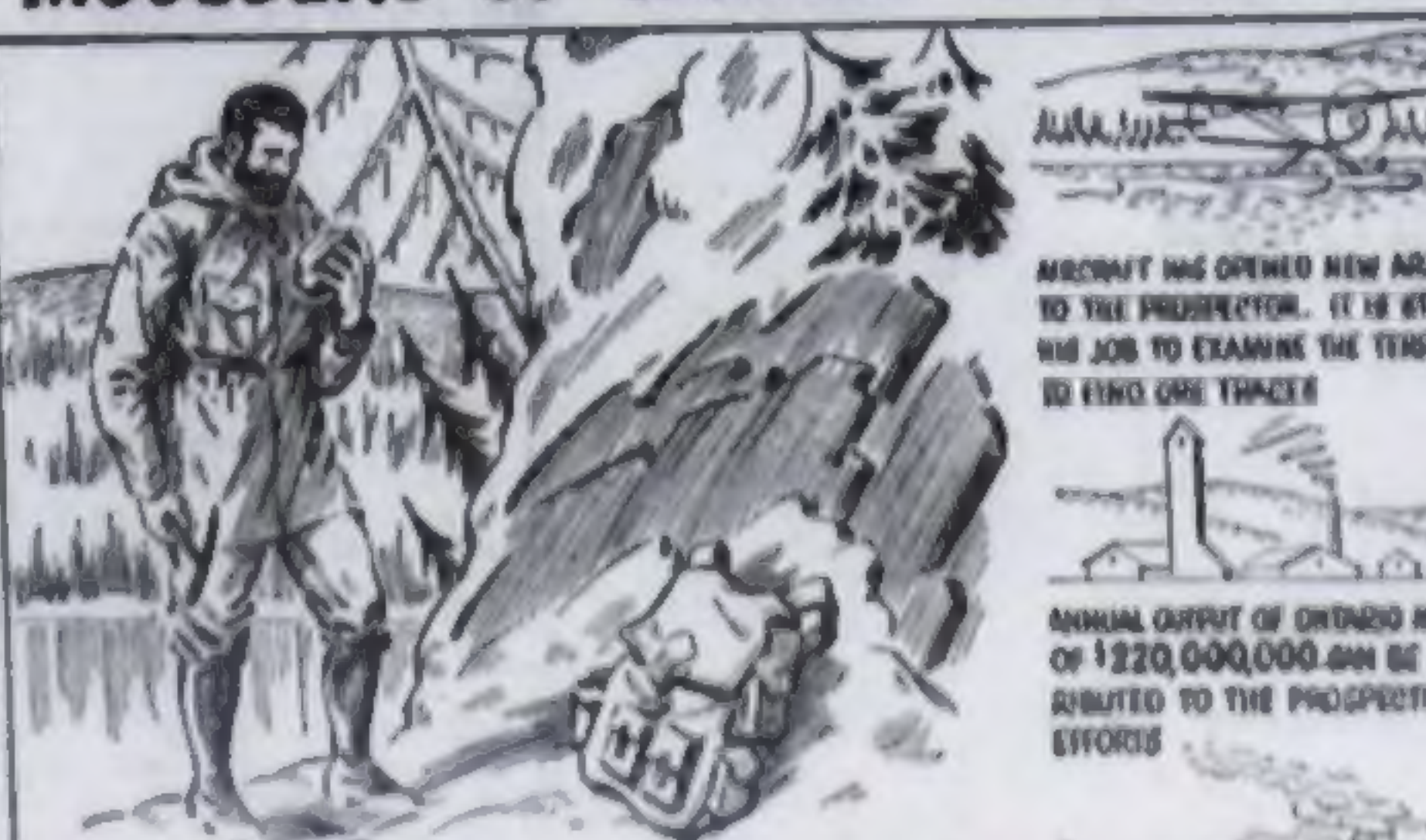
The man that goes around in circles is busy moving but he doesn't get any place.

PUPPY GETS A ROYAL RECEPTION



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RESEARCH PLANNED BY FRUIT GROWERS

Future lines of research to be carried out by the committee during the summer were discussed when the Research and Marketing Committee of the Niagara Peninsula Fruit Growers' Association met at Vineland.

Twenty-one were present at the meeting, and Chairman Ernest Chip reported that the directors of the Grape Growers' Association had gone on record as favoring the sale of car lots of grapes on one day.

The following is a list of the work to be undertaken by the committee this summer.

1. Spray treatment of Valiant peaches at the Bootham orchard at Vineland.
2. Control of the waste of infected peaches when held at various temperatures and humidities.
3. Big O shipments of fruit to chain stores in Toronto will be made to determine the number of sales of this brand as compared to the number of sales of ordinary shipments.
4. Tests for various types of containers for fruit.
5. Investigation of lower temperatures in refrigeration cars.
6. Carry on treatments designed to reduce splitting in cherries.
7. Control of blossom rot on the various varieties of peaches.
8. Experiments on the prevention of blossom rot spores on soil mulch as compared to cultivated soil.
9. Compare the wastage in fruit from brown rot before and after going over the graders.
10. Compare the wastage of peaches picked in old and new baskets.
11. Effect on the development of rot through the breaking of the skin at the stem and through careless picking.
12. Effect of breaking the skin on other parts of the peach through careless picking.
13. Compare the wastage in peaches picked wet and dry.
14. The relation between insect injury and brown rot.
15. A check will be made of growers' picks with peaches and cherries from all over the district. Specimens will be collected by the Ontario Fruit Inspectors.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY HAD SUCCESSFUL YEAR

Total sales of Ford Motor Company of Canada, Limited in 1947 reached \$149,804,972, the highest for any peacetime year in the company's history, according to the annual report made public today.

The sales figure exceeded that of 1946 by 66.3 per cent and was two and one-half times that for the highest pre-war year.

Net profit after provision of \$2,000,000 against the contingency of a decline in inventory values was \$5,994,001, equal to 4.01 per cent of sales volume and \$1.61 per share. This compares with a net loss of \$239,448 in 1946 and a 1935 to 39 average profit of \$3,047,299 or \$1.84 per share. The figures for the two postwar years 1946 and 1947 combined show net profit of 2.29 per cent of sales volume for the two years, while the comparable ratio for the average of 1935 to 1939 was 6.84 per cent.

The operating profit for 1947 was \$12,920,708, which compares with an operating loss of \$2,322,830 in 1946. The increased earnings resulted principally from sustained high level production throughout the year, improvement in manufacturing efficiency, and upward adjustments of both export and domestic prices.

The company sold in 1947 a total of 101,918 cars and trucks and 7,800 tractors. The comparable figures for 1946 were 79,314 and 3,293 respectively, and for the average of 1935-39 were 68,763 and 341. Of the 1947 total 50.6 per cent were marketed in Canada and 49.4 per cent were shipped to the company's export markets. The company continued to be the largest exporter among Canadian automotive manufacturers, with total export shipments of 41,141 cars and trucks in 1947 as compared with 42,802 in 1946 and the 1935-39 average of 38,619.

The company's passenger car and truck sales in the Dominion in 1947 numbered 60,777, exceeding the previous year's total by 66.5 per cent and representing 26.4 per cent of all passenger cars and trucks wholesaled in Canada in 1947. Truck sales exceeded those of any other company with 22.4 per cent of all wholesale truck sales in the Dominion.

Included in the company's record total sales in 1947 were sales of replacement parts for servicing vehicles amounting to \$29,423,997, comparable with \$19,692,188 in 1946 and a 1935-39 average of \$1,843,505.

The man who lives by the side of the road nowadays usually conducts a tourist court.

After being tossed into a political ring many a hat needs to be re-blocked.

Music doesn't charm the savage breast when you have to deal with Petrillo.

LIBERAL CONVENTION

NOMINATION MEETING

TO SELECT A CANDIDATE TO CONTEST THE FORTHCOMING
ONTARIO ELECTION FOR LINCOLN COUNTY.

**Community Hall,
Beamsville,
MON., MAY 3**

8:30 P. M.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS — PROMINENT SPEAKERS

Everybody Welcome

COMMERCIAL



- LETTERHEADS
- ENVELOPES
- STATEMENTS
- BILL HEADS
- TAGS
- LABELS
- RULED FORMS
- INVITATIONS
- TICKETS
- BOOKLETS
- FOLDERS
- PROGRAMS, ETC.

THE GRIMSBY INDEPENDENT

— TELEPHONE 34 —

Social Events — Personals — Organizations — Club Activities

Saturday night Supper Club dancing at The Village Inn has been discontinued for the season.

Mr. Ronald W. MacBride of Toronto, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. MacBride.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tufford and son, Peter, of St. Catharines, spent Sunday with Mrs. Tufford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher, Oak St., Grimsby.

Fred and Mrs. Jewson, Grimsby Beach, will celebrate their Silver Wedding Anniversary on Sunday afternoon, May 2nd. They will be at home to their many friends from three to six p.m.

Dr. and Mrs. F. V. Kowalski, and their children, Mary Louise and Anne Katherine, of Saginaw, Mich., visited their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gayowski, Main St. E., Grimsby, over the weekend.

St. John's Church Presbyterian

Rev. J. P. McLeod,
Minister

SUNDAY, MAY 2nd

Morning and Evening
Service.

Baptist Church

Rev. Geo. A. McLean, B.A.,
Minister

SUNDAY, MAY 2nd

11.00 a.m.—Communion Service.

Pre-Communion Meditation.
"His Flesh Was Meat Indeed."

7.00 p.m.—Evening Worship.
Subject: "Easy Shoulder Gear and Light Swag."

All prospective worshippers
will be made very welcome.

St. Andrew's Church

(Diocese of Niagara)

Rector: Rev'd E. A. Brooks,
B.A., Tel. 548.

ROGATION SUNDAY

(5 Easter)

8.30 a.m.—Holy Communion.

11.00 a.m.—Holy Communion
and Sermon.

Blessing of seeds for the
planting and distribution thereof.

2.30 p.m.—Sunday School.

3.00 p.m.—Bible Class.

7.00 p.m.—Evening Song and Sermon.

The many friends of Miss Peggy O'Neil, manager of The Village Inn, who is confined to Hamilton hospital, will regret to know that her condition is serious and it will be some time before she will be able to return to her duties.

Births

HOFFMAN—To Mr. and Mrs. A. Hoffman at Mount Hamilton Hospital, April 28, 1948, the gift of a son, Russell Donald.

Grimsby Red Cross

PAID UP MEMBERS

W. E. Cullingsford, Mrs. W. E. Cullingsford, Miss Elsie R. Cullingsford, Mrs. J. Theal, Mr. D. J. Beaumont.

SCOUTS AUXILIARY

A meeting of the Scout Mothers' Auxiliary will be held on Monday evening, May 2nd, at 7.30 in the High School Auditorium. An interesting program has been arranged and all mothers of Scouts and Cubs are urged to attend.

Coming Events

The I.O.D.E. is holding a Biscuit Time open Bridge and Euchre in the High School Auditorium on May 10th. Refreshments served. Price 50c.

The West Lincoln Branch of the Canadian Legion and Ladies Auxiliary are holding a social bridge and Euchre to-night, Thursday, at 8 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Main Street. Prizes and refreshments. Tickets 25c.

Trinity United Church

Rev. A. L. Griffith, B.A.,
Minister

SUNDAY, MAY 2nd

11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
Ordination of Elders. Sermon: "The Historic Eldership."

2.30 p.m.—Sunday School.

7.00 p.m.—"Saul—The Failure"

8.00 p.m.—Young Adult Club.

GOSPEL HALL

Adelaide St., Grimsby

LORD'S DAY

Breaking of Bread - 11 a.m.

Gospel Meeting - 7 p.m.

Wednesday

Prayer Meeting and Bible Reading, 8 p.m.

— All Welcome —

A BEST HAT FOR EVERYDAY WEAR



By PRUNELLA WOOD

A FLATTERING and conversational hat is of much introductory value today than a nice engraved visiting card. It gets around faster and is remembered longer... and women should pay more attention to their everyday hats, rather than blowing their budgets on the less often worn party hats. The hat pictured above is an everyday hat with the grace of a milliner's whimsy; yet it is made of practically indestructible rosy beige felt, and its glamour veiling, of that sturdy, definitive corded French mesh. Perfect with tailoring and furs, and with the ubiquitous little black frock of wool or thinner crepe. The shape is somewhat bicorne, the veil to be draped to taste.



April 22—To Mr. and Mrs. Reg Sweet, Fruitland, a daughter.

April 27—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Oldfield, R.R. 1, Grimsby, a daughter.

April 28—To Mr. and Mrs. Steve Krukow, Beamsville, a son.

Rebekah Lodge

The regular monthly meeting of Alameda Rebekah Lodge No. 267 was held on Tuesday evening with N.G. St. Mabel Warner presiding. Mrs. Bertha Hummel and Mrs. Evelyn Dipper were named representatives to attend the annual sessions of the Rebekah Assembly to be held in St. Catharines on June 14th, 15th and 16th.

Plans were made for a Penny Bake Sale to be held in Masonic Hall on May 11th. Members and visitors are invited to attend this.

N.G. St. Warner asked members to plan to attend church service in St. Andrew's Church on Sunday evening, May 30th.

This being the last official visit of our D.D.P. Mrs. Mildred McPhee of Dundas, a social evening was held. Mrs. Helen Falloon, V.G., being in charge of the entertainment, and Mrs. Gladys LaPage the refreshments.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. A. Jarvis wishes to thank her many friends and well wishers who so graciously sent to her many tokens of kindness and esteem.

The Officers and Guides of the 1st and 2nd Girl Guide Companies of Grimsby, wish to express their thanks for the generous support given their Annual Cooks Day.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank all those who so kindly remembered me during my stay in the hospital with cards, also Baptist Ladies' Aid for flowers. —Mrs. N. Nelson

Nuptials

FORESTER-ROBERTSON
At the Baptist Parsonage, Grimsby, Saturday evening, April 24th, by Rev. Geo. A. McLean, Arthur Alexander Forester, of Grimsby, and Kathleen Helen Robertson, of Hamilton, Ontario.

In Memoriam

HOOVER—In loving memory of our mother, Julia Ann Hoover, who passed away April 19th, 1947. None knew her but to love her. None named her but in praise. —Daughter Clara.

AMBROSE—In loving memory of Alexina, who died six years ago, April 22nd, 1942. Beyond the gate our loved ones find happiness and rest. And there is comfort in the thought That a loving God knows best. —Missed by Grandmother and Grandfather.

HENRY—In loving memory of Fred C. Henry, who passed away April 27th, 1948. Sometimes it's hard to understand. Why some things have to be. But in His wisdom God has planned.

Beyond our power to see. —Sadly remembered by mother.

SCHWAB—In loving memory of our dear mother, Nella Jane Schwab, who passed away May 2, 1942. Beautiful memories, cherished forever.

Of happy hours we spent together. A silent thought brings many a tear. For a mother we loved so dear. We do not need a special day. To bring her to our minds. For the days we do not think of her. Are very hard to find. —Lovingly remembered by husband, Fred, Cliff, Myrtle.

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NEW WAISTLINE WHITTLES



By ALICE ALDEN

A GOOD BELT is a cinch to do things for a simple dress, as well as cinching the waistline. Criterion comes through with a dainty belt that is just ornamental enough to gently dress up a basic frock. The belt spans the front with folds of gold kid, and nips the waist in back with black suede. A nice change from the wide, wide waistline whittlers.

TRINITY SERVICE CLUB

We had a very good attendance at Sunday School on Sunday with 176 present. A very fine picture was shown.

Arrangements were made for our Mothers' Day Service to be held on Sunday, May 9th, at the morning church service. There will be no Sunday School in the afternoon. The Ladies' Bible Class will hold a work meeting at the home

of Mrs. Reed, Gibson Ave. on Friday evening. We would like to see a good turn out.

GRIMSBY WEATHER

Week ending at 8 a.m., Monday, April 28th, 1948.

Highest temperature 75.5
Lowest temperature 34.0
Precipitation 0.70 inches
Top soil moist.

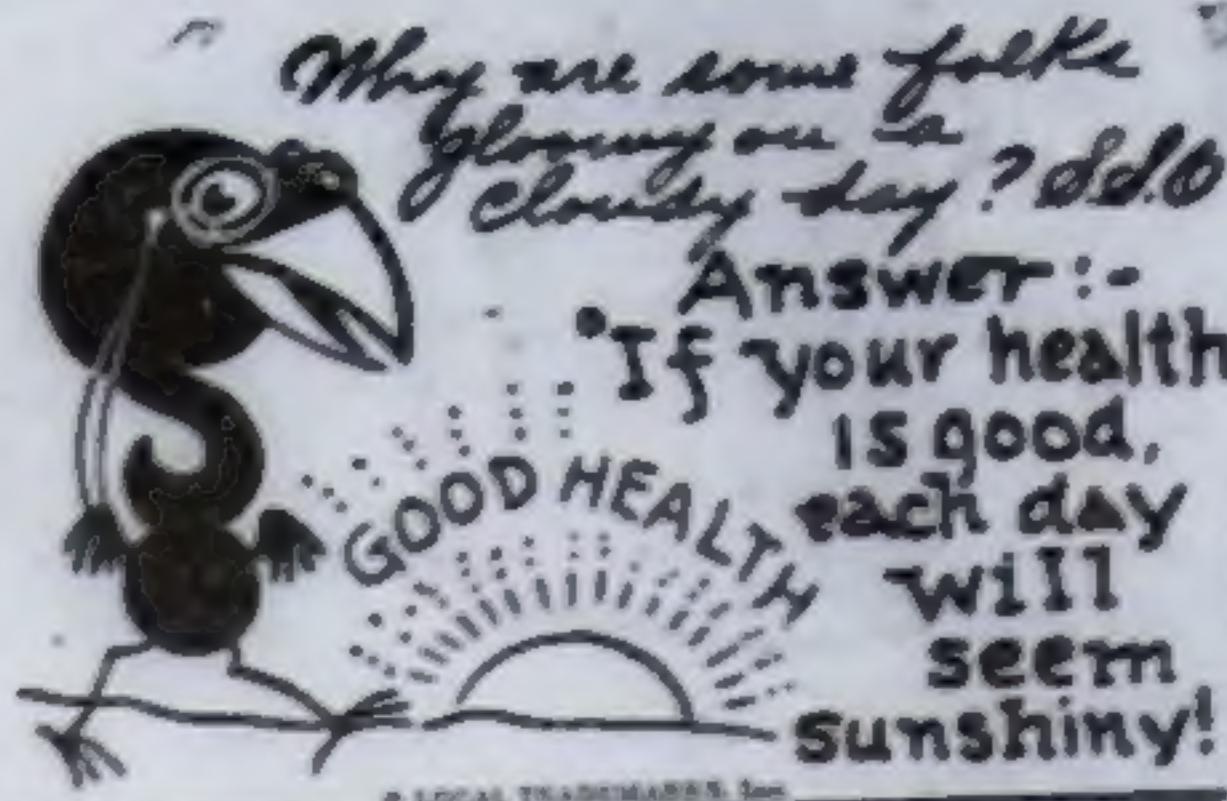
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Oh, if the war dog could only be kept in the dog house.

GOINGS — COMINGS — DOINGS
— AT —
Grimsby Beach
MISS MAY CRITTENDEN,
Resident Staff Correspondent.
Telephone Your News Items To Her.

Mrs. D. B. Dean has returned home from the hospital and is coming along quite nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Russ, Detroit, called to visit the former's aunt, Mrs. B. Book, on Saturday.

Mr. David Hunter, Cornwall, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Hunter, Central Ave., over the weekend.

Misses Jean and Dorothy Ferguson from Hamilton, spent the weekend at the home of their grandfather, Mr. J. A. Book, Park Road.

Mrs. Bert Lonsbury, Mrs. C. Weech and Mrs. A. S. Cooper motored to Cobourg and Baltimore to visit relatives and friends for a few days.

The Parents' and Teachers' Association held a very successful card party on Friday evening at the Park School. There were fourteen tables in play, 9 bridge and 5 euchre. The winners for the evening were: Bridge, Mr. John Alkema and Eucher, Mr. Cecil Bell. The proceeds were for the children's field day. The committee under the convener'ship of Mrs. F. Lee and Mrs. Doug Udeh served delightful refreshments. This was the last party of the season.

Fred and Lillian Jewson will be "At Home" to their friends and neighbors on the occasion of their 25th Wedding Anniversary Sunday afternoon, May 2nd, from 3 to 6.

The Beach Bible Class met at the home of Mrs. H. Robinson Wednesday afternoon, April 21st. The hostesses for the lunch were Mrs. A. S. Cooper and Miss V. Elley. This was the closing meeting until Fall.

Mrs. George Robinson, Park Road entertained at her home on Friday evening at a miscellaneous shower for Miss Bernice Honey, a bride elect of next month.

The bride received many beautiful and useful gifts presented in a gaily decorated umbrella. Seventeen guests were present and the evening was spent playing contests after which a delightful lunch was served by the hostess.

GRIMSBY BEACH WOLF CUBS
Spring beauties and dog-toothed violets were out to greet the cubs on their first trip to our den in the ravine.

Surrounded by nature, awakening to the touch of spring, the pack led by Ken Christie, renewed their promise to Akela to "do their best."

Then the work started. Dragging in dead wood and clearing out the bed of the stream, so that it can chuckle along more freely.

So much to do and so many willing hands to do it!

The 1st Star cubs walked our natural plank as part of 2nd Star tests. This great twenty foot log stretches across the stream, bubbling along four feet below.

Swimmers badges were presented to Bill Lipsett, Harry Astle and Gary Udeh.

Harry Astle also received his Collector's badge for a fine mounted collection of match folders. Over three hundred from all parts of Canada and U.S.A.

Don't forget to keep your fangs clean!

Good hunting!

Obituary
MRS. STANLEY J. SHARP
(Globe and Mail)
Prominent in Toronto skating circles, Elizabeth (Betty) McGinnis, 25, wife of Stanley J. Sharp, health inspector for Barrie, died Sunday at the Toronto General Hospital. She had been in ill health for some months.

Mrs. Sharp was an active member of the Granite Club Skating Club, and participated in the annual carnivals. In 1946 she was assistant skating instructor for men's dancing at the Granite Club. Mrs. Sharp had also been an instructor at the University Outdoor Skating Club.

Born in Toronto, she was the daughter of S. Leonard McGinnis, 56, Lascelles Blvd., and the late Alma McGinnis. She attended Bishop Strachan School and was member of Christ Church, Deer Park.

Following her marriage in May, 1946, Mrs. Sharp took up residence in Grimsby. She moved to Barrie last December. Surviving are her husband and father.

LEGION JOTTINGS

To-night is the Legion's Spring Bridge and Euchre at the Masonic Hall. There will be light refreshments.

At the monthly general meeting held April 21st several items of new business were opened. A by-law committee under the chairmanship of R. C. Saunders, and Citizenship Committee with L. Bromley as chairman.

A report of the Zone Meeting at Thorold, was read by delegate R. C. Saunders, Beamsville, and a report on District "B" Meeting, Welland, was made by Doug Scott, Grimsby.

The President made a report on the operation and accounts of the Poppy Fund for the last eight years. The general condition of the fund is very sound and the information was received by the meeting with satisfaction.

The Service Bureau Officer, Mr. J. A. Warren, will be at the Legion Club on Wednesday, May 12, from 8.00 to 10.30 in the evening, to give information, advice or assistance regarding War Disability Pensions, Treatment, Allowances, etc., to any ex-service men and women and dependents. Write the secretary of the West Lincoln Branch, Grimsby, for an appointment.

A fast talker can't out talk money when it decides to talk.

Utopia must be the place where labor and capital get along fine with each other.

BREVITIES

EVENTS and TOPICS
of the WEEK in
TABLOID

Sunday, May 9th, is Mother's Day.

Jons Club meets next Tuesday night.

Board of Education meets next Wednesday night.

Don't forget the St. Andrew's Annual Church Supper at the Parish Hall to-night at 5.30 and 6.30.

The first reunion of the 1st Battalion, Lincoln and Welland Regiment, since it added many battle honors to its standard in the north-west Europe campaign of 1944-45, was attended by some 300 veterans at the St. Catharines Legion Hall Saturday.

PROVINCIALS OPEN PENINSULA RADIO
Niagara Falls, Ont., April 26—A new provincial police radio hook-up was officially opened here today by Prof. J. E. Reid, professor of electronics at the University of Toronto, and Inspector Thomas Trimble, in charge of provincial police communications.

The network, under command of District Inspector Chris F. Airey, will cover Welland, Lincoln and Haldimand Counties, an area of more than 30 miles of roads. It will operate from a special dispatch room in district headquarters. The transmitter is located at Oakville.

WINONA AUXILIARY
A meeting of the W.A. of St. John's Anglican Church was held at the home of Mrs. Lewis Puddicombe. The president, Mrs. George Gliddon, presided and arrangements were completed for the spring mission tea Friday, June 11.

Miss Mary Holby, a missionary home on furlough from India, will be the speaker at 3 o'clock, followed by afternoon tea at the rectory.

Mrs. C. J. Bradshaw, official delegate to the 62nd Niagara Diocesan Board annual meeting held in Hamilton, with the following ladies: Mesdames Scovill, J. Puddicombe, K. Millikin, A. Biggar, and G. Gliddon, gave full reports of the meetings. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mesdames Alastair Smith, C. C. Tempest and Miss Nancy Margaret Lewis. Mrs. Scovill presided at the tea table.

WOLF CUB PACK
Three new cubs were invested in Wolf Cubs and placed in the Parade Circle by their Sisters. They were Ronald Hyland, James Puddicombe, and Donald Wilson. A Wolf Cub from the 6th Chatham Pack, Larry MacPhail, has joined our group and was placed in the Red Pack.

These new members give us a Pack of five complete cubs.

The Jungle Dance of Tabagui was performed with Murray Shaw taking the part of Shere Khan, the Tiger.

Mowgli helped a group with their skipping and Raksha instructed another group in knots while Akela passed the following cubs in Physical Exercises: Jack Baisley, Lyn Cooper, Ward Cornwell, Jon Hand, Jim Gregory, Don Lambert, Graeme McIntosh.

Lyn Cooper presented a well-constructed model for his Second Star Test.

At the campfire a two part song was practised, the leaders being Jack Hewitt and Murray Shaw.

The Mothers' Auxiliary is meeting at the High School on Monday, May 3rd, at which time the Wolf Cubs and Scouts will provide part of the program.

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REAL ESTATE

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, Main St. West, have sold their residence to Mr. Frank Johnson, Grimsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Milmine, South Grimsby Township, have sold their residence and grain farm to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith of Grimsby.

Mr. W. E. Wilcox, Grimsby Beach, has sold his residence on Central Avenue to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Milmine of South Grimsby.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Peel, Clinton Township, have sold their residence and fruit farm to Mr. Joe Penack of Kitchener.

The above transactions have been handled by the office of P. V. Smith, Realtor.

Andrew and Mrs. Stevenson, who have conducted Stevenson's Grocery, at the corner of Depot and John streets, for the past 16 months, have sold the business to Hugh J. Dowling, who has taken possession.

The Independent was in error last week when it stated that Wally Phipps was the purchaser of the house and lot on Oak Street from the estate of the late Jack Newton. Cecil J. Goldring is the real purchaser.

PAINTING HIGHWAYS FOR BLOSSOM WEEK
Anticipating, within the next two weeks, the heaviest blossom time motor traffic since pre-war years, the Department of Highways started a painting crew at work Monday putting white lines down the centre of all highways in the Niagara peninsula with exception of the Queen Elizabeth Way, where the lines will be painted only on the stretches of black surfaced road over some bridges and fills.

This year, for the first time since the pre-war years, glass crystal impregnated paint is being used throughout, the glass being put into the paint by a glass dispenser on the painting machine at the rate of seven pounds of glass to the gallon of paint.

During war years, and since, white lines were painted, without the glass crystals, ten feet long and skipping 50 feet on the straightaway. This year, using all glass impregnated paint, lines are being painted ten feet long, skipping only 20 feet to the next line. Solid lines, of course, are painted at all curves.

The shortening of spacing between painted lines this year gives the motorist travelling at 50 miles an hour the impression of a solid white line, and should go a long way in lessening the accident toll in sideswipe collisions between cars whose drivers are "hogging" the centre of the pavement. The glass crystals gleam in the headlight glow at night and make the painted line stand out brilliantly.

Spring Prom
Grimsby High School Auditorium
SATURDAY, MAY 1st
Music By
"STAN BERNARD"

LUNCH COUPLES \$1.50
STUDENT COUPLES \$1.00

Tickets Available From Don Mogg, Don Catton And Lorne Lindensmith.

Stoney Creek Dairy MILK BAR

With the nice weather here again let your evening drive take you to the Stoney Creek Dairy Milk Bar. It has been enlarged and modernized with a wonderful parking lot; everything to make things pleasant for our many customers.

This year we are making our own ice cream and we feel sure we have a real treat for every one.

Please come and see us, we are just east of Stoney Creek on King Street.

— OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL 12.00 O'CLOCK —

A NIGHT TO REMEMBER
Yes, indeed... May 9th is a night you'd better remember—because it's a night you'll never forget if you go to the...
WINONA MEN'S CLUB
Maytime Dance
HIGHLIGHTED BY THE
FASHION SHOW Presented by Edgcombe Ltd.
Wednesday, May 5th — 9 p.m.
CLUB EL MOROCO, No. 8 Highway
Dancing to JACK RYAN and his El Morocans
Tickets \$2.00 per person Dress Informal
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And Refreshments To Reserve Your Table
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ANNOUNCEMENT
TO THE CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS OF
Stevenson's Grocery

It is with some regret that we have to announce at this time our retirement from the grocery business in this town.

During the past 16 months we have had most pleasant associations with our many customers and friends, and we do wish at this time to thank everybody who helped to make our stay so pleasant.

HUGH J. DOWLING, the new proprietor, takes charge today and we wish him every success in his new venture.

Mr. Dowling is a Canadian and has resided in Grimsby for some considerable time. He will continue to handle only high class, tested merchandise and will continue the delivery service.

We commend him to our customers and friends for their continued patronage.

WITH MANY THANKS—
ANDREW AND ISA STEVENSON

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QUAKER WHOLE WHEAT 2 TON 23c	FILLING 2.00 25c
MUFFETS 2 TON 23c	WAFER LIGHTS 2.00 25c
ATLANTIC VARY APPLESAUCE 2 50c 27c	TOPPING 2.00 25c
ROYAL MAPOR PEANUTBUTTER 1.00 20c	D. B. BUTTER 2.00 25c
SKELDON'S CORN FLAKES 2 50c 27c	PURE JAM 1.00 20c
CAMPBELL'S TOMATO SOUP 2 TON 19c	MINTS 1.00 20c
LIBBY'S VEGETABLE SOUP 2 TON 17c	JAM 1.00 20c

PITTED DATES 1.00 19c
MOLASSES SNAPS 1.00 19c

ALLSORTS 1.00 33c
GLO COAT 1.00 31.07
GINGER ALE 2 50c 25c
MARMALADE 1.00 31c
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SPORTOLOGY

(By Bones Livingston, Sportologist)

THE BANQUET BATTLES HAVE BEGUN—Last night the MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE staged their annual battle of grub at the De-Nite at Stoney Creek. The Ingishart and Gledhill trophy was presented and felicitations were flying in all directions. A full report of this bun fight will appear next week. . . . PEACH QUEENS LEAGUE played their final last night for the Metal Craft Trophy with VED-ETTES battling against the VALLANTS. For the Niagara Packers Consolation prize the VICTORY and VICEROY team tangled. The QUEENS will hold their banquet at The Pines, Stoney Creek, on Tuesday evening next commencing at seven o'clock. . . . Hamilton Tigers are finished for the year. Did you ever realize that hockey is now occupying the sporting spotlight for about eight months out of the year. Too long a season. . . . PEACH KINGS hockey team, the executive and their lovely women were entertained by Niagara Packers at the dinner dance at the Village Inn on Saturday night. A good time was had by all. . . .

MIDGET BALL LEAGUE FORMED—A midget softball team is being formulated in the Beamsville-Clinton and Grimsby area, and boys under the age of sixteen before May 1st, 1948 are invited to try for a berth on the team.

The team has been entered for league play, which will commence about the second week in May. At the present time, the league consists of teams from Vineland, Jordan, St. Catharines and the Beamsville entry.

The lack of interest in giving young boys a chance to play organized ball has been a reality, and it is hoped that the formation of this team will encourage others to make plans along these lines, so that in the future, this west end of Lincoln will be well represented with midget and juvenile softball teams.

May we suggest that any boy interested in playing on an organized softball team take immediate steps to try out. For further information contact Gord McGregor at The Independent office, or call Beamsville 218.

1948 FRUIT BELT LEAGUE—Well, it didn't take long for the softball conscience to get cracking with plans for the summer ball program. The moguls met in Stoney Creek this past week, with Winona, Stop 69, Smithville, Grimsby, and, of course, the Creek being represented. Beamsville did not have a delegation present but present plans call for the inclusion of Beamsville in the 1948 Fruit Belt League.

Considerable business was dealt with, and new officers were elected. Tom Collins, Winona's gift to sports, was placed in office as the new president, with M. Edwards as 1st vice-president, and Ted Metcalfe as secretary-treasurer.

One very important issue that was settled was the decision to play O.A.S.A. ball from the start, and at the end of the schedule, the winning team will have the option of going on either as an Intermediate "B" or "C" team. The second team will also be eligible for further competition in the semi-finals.

There is no age limit to the Fruit Belt League, and all players are considered Seniors, whether by age or calibre.

The schedule is due to get underway around May 26.

FINE DISPLAY OF TROPHIES—That's a mighty interesting sports window Mel Johnson has fixed up. Pyramided with assorted types of sports equipment, including fishing tackle, baseballs and bats, tennis rackets and a wide assortment of articles that make it a very appealing display.

Three different objects, however, have attracted considerable attention. The first being a set of three cups won by a local female court demon in the person of Miss Jean Pettit. The centre cup especially is symbolic of tennis supremacy, for it is the T. Eaton Memorial Church Tennis Challenge Cup, which was won by Miss Pettit in 1947.

At the back are three trophies won by none other than the genial owner, Mel Johnson himself. In younger days, Mel was quite a sharpshooter, and those cups are awards for rifle marksmanship on one of the big time rifle ranges of the country. The most coveted trophy, Mel told us, was the one his team from Central Collegiate won, competing with schools from across the Dominion, way back in 1936. It is the King George V Trophy.

Up on the side wall are three fish, mounted, two of which are bass, which, judging from their size, must have given their owner, Bert Webster, organizer in the Anglican Church, quite a battle. The top fish we learned is a mongrel. It was caught in Lake Erie and although it resembles a pike somewhat it ain't. So it's a mongrel.

WHAT GOES ON HERE—It would appear that the first hurdle of local ball players to overcome will be just who is going to represent the Town of Grimsby in the Fruit Belt League.

At the formation meeting in Stoney Creek, Doc Schwab was officially recognized as the Grimsby delegate, and as such he paid the five dollar entry fee. At the same meeting was a delegation from Grimsby Mountain, who have it appears, announced their intention of a so-called amalgamation with the town.

From all reports the Mountaineers have a team practically ready to play ball, but they are faced with the fact that sufficient support cannot be obtained from the Ridge residents. So by joining forces with the boys below the hill all would appear to be well. Such is not the case, however.

By this amalgamation of forces, a lot of the kids who are the future ball players of the town, will not get a chance to play, and it was for the younger set that Schwab entered a Grimsby team.

We think the Mountain is making a mistake in not attempting to carry on, now that they have been organized, but we think it would be a much greater mistake to have them join with what the town has to offer. Certainly this district is large enough to field two teams. And if the younger players do not get a chance to show their stuff, then what will become of the teams of the future?

Bing Cosby, last year's coach of the Mountain team, is doing a fine job with his players, but we think that it would be a sad state of (Continued on Page 11)

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SPORTS

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Now it is up to all those interested in seeing a ball team here this summer. Also for interested parties to get behind the team and sponsor them.

Here's hoping that Doc Schwab gets the support of the kids whose battle he is fighting, and also gets the necessary sponsor. The Town has not been without a team for a long time, and this would be an especially bad time to start, in view of the fact that the Lions Club are making available a fine grandstand, which should attract those fans who like to see a ball game—when you can be comfortably seated to watch the affair.

NEW BOWLING GREENS—As a result of a meeting held last night, it would appear that Grimsby will again have a bowling green of their own, and that a Bowling Club will be formed in the very near future.

The town has quite a number of bowling enthusiasts, and it is to be hoped that advantage is taken of the offer made by Mel Johnson with regard to forming a club to make use of the greens which are now reported to be in exceptionally fine shape.

The whole matter started when Mr. Johnson took over his present location, which includes a sizable lot at the rear of his store. For over a quarter of a century the Grimsby Lawn Bowling Club flourished on this location, but lack of interest and a too casual business policy caused the Club to fold some six years ago.

When Mr. Johnson took over the land and store from the Grimsby Club Realty, the former beautiful greens were nothing but another ugly patch of weeds and debris. A couple of years ago, he started to restore this spot, and his first dream of providing a tennis court for the younger set was soon a reality.

Now two fine tennis courts are available at a very nominal fee. They will operate again this summer, soon as weather conditions permit.

In the meantime, however, the rest of the former bowling green had not escaped his eye, and gradually it has been brought back into shape, until now, some of the bowlers of the town say that it is comparable with any green in the district.

However, now the point arose as to the establishing of a Bowling Club. If this was to function, then overhead lighting would be a necessity. Already the project has cost a very substantial sum, and the additional fee for installing lights would be considerable.

And so it was with this proposition that Mr. Johnson first approached some of the keen lawn bowlers, and as a result, there is a distinct possibility that again Grimsby will boast of its own Bowling Club.

To the energetic Mel Johnson the whole plan is not a money making proposition. It is simply a means of seeing this "backyard" cleaned up into what is fast becoming a truly great beauty spot.

If sufficient interest is shown, then lights will be installed, and the proposed Club will repay the founder of the plan on an extended payment basis.

"I should very much like to revive the old interest in lawn bowling, and see a new Club formed. To make it successful, it would have to operate in a business-like manner, for it was the lack of this that was the downfall of the old Club," stated Mr. Johnson.

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Those of us who nurse the fond delusion that we are truly educated might check themselves against the test proposed by Mr. Sydney Herbert Wood, who until recently was the Assistant Secretary of the British Ministry of Education. Mr. Wood believed that anyone who could say an honest yes to a series of three questions had a basic claim to being educated. The questions: Can you entertain a new idea? Can you entertain another person? Can you entertain yourself?

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LINCOLN HEALTH UNIT

After looking over the Health Unit, the visitors saw the Municipal Buildings and made a tour of St. Catharines. At noon a Civic Luncheon was tendered them which was attended by Mayor W. J. Macdonald and members of the City Council. Dr. D. V. Curry, Director of the Unit, introduced the Mayor and Aldermen and thanked them for the luncheon. Mayor Macdonald welcomed the guests and wished them success in their work. Dr. Lorne Whitaker, Chairman of the Board of Health, spoke on behalf of the Board. The thanks of the visitors was voiced by Dr. W. Black, President of the Diploma of Public Health Class.

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The Public Health Nurses from the Unit visit newborn babies excepting those known to be under supervision by the Victorian Order of Nurses. The care of the baby is discussed in detail, the nurse tries to make sure the mother understands her physician's orders and follows his advice. If necessary, the Unit nurse will give a demonstration bath or the making of a formula. She stresses the mental hygiene aspects of baby care, discusses proper diet, inquires if the child has been registered, and if the parents know about the family allowance.

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J. Orion Livingston, publisher of Grimsby Independent, referred to

Mr. Allan as "my old pal Tom." "In the old days," he said, "there was a formidable trio in this district, Tom Allan, Grimsby's Jim Livingston—my father—and Belling Hill Mitchell. I have been guided through all the years by what I learned from those three men. I can remember when Tom Allan first ran for North Grimsby Council 56 years ago. In all that period of time I have never heard a man belittle him, or the work he has done."

Others who paid tribute to Mr. Allan in brief remarks were G. W. Critchenden, former deputy reeve; John Albion, present deputy reeve; Lou McEwen, councillor; Fred Oakes and John Lawson, former reeves and wardens; Mayor Henry Bull, of Grimsby, associated with Mr. Allan for 48 years; Thomas Mackie, W. F. Geddes, J. B. Puddicombe, Egbert Smith, C. W. F. Carpenter, Samuel Bartlett, George Fair and Bruce Murdoch.

In replying, Mr. Allan recalled that he first entered municipal life in 1890—58 years ago. "Grimsby was just a little village then," he said, "and there have been many changes in my time. I have been in municipal life a long time and have seen the district change from open fields to a built up area." He suggested that all men should try to serve their community in one way or another, either through public office or otherwise.

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CITIZENSHIP IS BEING by the Ontario government on arrival in Canada. After mastering basic English (a simplified but functional vocabulary of the most necessary English words and their grammar) the class will go on to learn the history of our country, the principles of Democracy, and of our Canadian way of life. They will then become full-fledged citizens fully prepared to live as Canadians, forgetting their customs and manner of life in Europe under the Communist regime. This is as it should be, we think. These people are being given the training gladly by a voluntary teacher and are absorbing it eagerly. The sad thing, however, is the fact that there are only eleven enrolled in the class.

Here is the picture of a typical two hour class. When everyone has taken their seats any difficulties which the pupils have encountered during the week are cleared up. For instance, Steve Kalamazky asked the meaning of "kindness." Alina Kreimanis wondered when she should say "please" and when "thank you." Then she asked why and when the phrase "you're welcome" should be used. Mike Lofek, further advanced than the others, wanted to know the difference in meaning between "gentleness" and "politeness." John Lewicki couldn't understand the difference in "big and large", and "short, small and little." All these difficulties were cleared up by Mr. Awde who asked each in turn what questions were puzzling them.

After the question and answer session the class go to the black board to write sentences. These sentences have been prepared by the pupils during the week. Generally they are pretty good with very few mistakes. There are, of course, some weird spelling mistakes and a few "a's" and "the's" left out. On the whole, though, they are well done and show the instructor the progress being made by each student.

Then comes the reading from the text book. At the present time the class is halfway through book two, out of the three books prescribed in the Basic English course. These books are printed in large type and any new words are accompanied by a picture. For example the sentence "This is an EGG" is written below a drawing of an egg. By this method the pupil connects the word "egg" with the familiar picture of an egg. Therefore, no matter what his native language the English can be learned from the picture, which looks the same in any country. Thus the entire teaching method is greatly simplified through the use of these textbooks and the pupils usually learn rapidly.

During the reading period each class-member reads a short paragraph from the text and if the instructor hears any wrong pronunciation the proper way to say the word is given. Finally the reading and writing assignments for the class the next week are given out and the pupils adjourn until next Wednesday at 7.30.

There is more to these sessions than the above reveals, however. Mr. Awde, the instructor, is successful in making the learning of this Basic English an interesting and simple process. The pupils (some arriving in Canada only last month) are anxious to learn and pass on to the study of Canadian History and Government. They deserve a lot of credit these new Canadians; men like Joe Giernat, a Pole who when the Russians invaded his country in 1939 was shipped to a work camp, his freedom gone. But he escaped and joined the Polish division of the famous British Eighth Army, fighting for his freedom in Italy. At last when the war was won, he decided to come to Canada where he could be free to live in peace and security. All he ever had in the old country was gone. The enemy had killed his parents and younger brother. Today he is working on the farm of Mr. K. G. Pamer. Starting out fresh trying to forget the horrors of his past.

And there is Mike Lofek. When the war came he was in his first year Medicine at the University of Lvov in Poland. The Communists arrested him and a lot of his fellow-students and told them what they were to do. But Mike escaped and like Joe Giernat fought for the free Polish Army in Italy.

The stories told to The Independent by the other young pupils are very similar. These people have earned their freedom... the hard way. The men behind this Canadianization course are giving them the chance to make themselves good Canadian citizens. And it's certainly great that these people, although only eleven of them at the present time, are taking advantage of that opportunity.

Anyone wanting to take the course can do so by getting in touch with Mr. Awde at the High School.

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PHONE 36

BLOSSOM WEEK

With apricot trees, first of the fruit blossoms, now in almost full bloom, officials at the Vineland Experimental Farm, forecast Saturday that May 8, 9 and 10 would probably be this year's blossom week-end.

"This is only a guess," Prof. E. F. Palmer said, "and it may be upset by weather conditions. Present conditions, however, point to all the blossoms being out about that time."

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CONTINUATIONS

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Town Council

Turner.

Councillor Brail in opening his meeting said "I called this meeting as I believe that Mr. Hannab wants a clear cut understanding of the police situation. Also to show why I believe that we need three policemen. I interviewed the Crown Attorney and he told me that any and all committees are responsible to the council as a whole and they must make all decisions. The complaint is that they called the police and they did not come. On the first occasion the Chief states that he was on the street when the call came but he met the man in question on the street and took him to his office. On the second night he was in his office when the call came and immediately went up street and again met the man on the street and took them to his office. Charges have been laid against three men."

Continuing Mr. Brail said "The Crown Attorney says there is a very thin line between an offence and not an offence. A man in a beverage room swearing and talking loud and bawling nobody is not an offence, but if he starts breaking glasses and upsetting tables then charges can be laid. Also I want to get this ironed out. A man cannot be on duty 34 and 36 hours at a stretch and be here, there and everywhere. I feel we need three men; two of them on duty at night. Also a constable must answer a call when he receives it no matter where or what it is."

Mr. Hannab—"I would just like to know where I stand. Men come in and start trouble who have never been in the beverage room. I believe that a policeman can stop more trouble than we can. When the men see those brass buttons they quiet right down. Those three men have all been cut off in the beverage room for some considerable time past. This time they just came in to start trouble as it was after midnight and the beverage room was closed."

Brail—"If they start breaking up stuff and it is all over where the police arrive then the charges must be laid by somebody else."

Brail—"Chief, when you got the first call at 10 o'clock you responded."

Chief Turner—"Yes, and I met the man outside on the street. I took him to my office. The second night an employee of the hotel called me and I again met the men on the street."

Hannab—"Have you ever refused a call from the hotels?"

Turner—"No I never have and in 14 years I have only had two calls to the Village Inn. Cutting a man off does not make it illegal for him to enter a beverage room. The legal way to cut him off is to have an application made to the Liquor Control Board and a Board Order issued. When this is done it is illegal for him to purchase liquor in either a liquor store or a beverage room."

Hannab—"I can cut a man off if I so desire and then serve him again if he apologizes and then behaves himself."

Bonham—"If a man is 'boarded' can he buy liquor any place?"

Turner—"He cannot buy liquor legally any place."

Bonham—"Why is it that you never have any trouble at the other hotel?"

Hannab—"We do have trouble."

Bonham—"In three years that I know of you have had no trouble at the Inn."

Mayor Bull—"Whose obligation is it to evict a 'boarded' man who enters a beverage room illegally?"

Brail—"The law is not clear."

Lewis—"We entered into an agreement with the Liquor Control Board of Ontario some years ago to provide policing and we receive a portion of the license fees for so doing. That agreement was made when Mr. Johnson was Mayor and we have been receiving a considerable amount of money every year since."

Turner—"A man may be prohibited by a Board Order from making purchases at a liquor store but still not be prohibited from entering and making purchases at a beverage room. There must also be a Board Order issued to make it illegal for him to enter a beverage room."

Price—"The Police Commission have no vested rights to issue orders to the police, that must be decided by council of the whole."

Hewitt—"This same trouble exists in a hundred and one towns."

Lewis—"If we accept money from the Liquor Control Board"

Price—"He is supposed to answer calls and act if any rioting is going on. If nothing is going on when he arrives then the proprietor must lay the charges."

Bonham—"I think we better stop taking money from the Liquor Control Board and let them do their own policing."

Lewis—"Let us have a third man and reorganize our whole force."

Bonham—"Beverage rooms all over the country are breaking the law. Now if we are going to police the beverage rooms then let us go the limit. There cannot be one law for the drinker and another law for the beverage rooms."

Brail—"I still say, that we should have three men."

Price—"We are expecting too much from the Chief. I do not think that we should ask him to work 24 hours a day."

At this juncture Bonham and Councillor Brail tabled a motion regarding the administration of the law as pertaining to hotels and hotel patrons and then withdrew it.

Brail—"The Crown Attorney told us that we had a good Police Chief, better than most towns have."

At this point a motion by Scott and Bonham was tabled. It read as follows:

"That this council reaffirms its confidence in its local police inasmuch as they have every belief that the local police are administering their duties in a competent manner, all other reports, notwithstanding, to the contrary." Carried unanimously.

Brail—"I still say we need three policemen."

Hewitt—"Chief Turner, in your opinion do you need another man?"

Turner—"It would be mighty nice to have one."

Lewis—"The Chief should not be on night duty."

Hewitt—"Our budget for the year is made up. But I would like to see this question come up at the beginning of 1949."

Several other matters were briefly dealt with by council. A grant of \$30 was made to the Lincoln Humane Society.

There is some difference between John and Frances Stadler and the council over property boundary lines on Lake Street and Maple avenue and council will request the two gentlemen to attend the May meeting of council.

Council confirmed the action of the Cemetery Committee in donating a cemetery plot to Mrs. James Scott, widow of James Scott the town treasurer who died suddenly two weeks ago. A letter of condolence will be sent Mrs. Scott. Also Mrs. Scott will receive her late husband's salary for three months.

FROZEN FRUIT PULP MAKES NEW DESSERT

Recently a new frozen fruit dessert as creamy as ice cream and as flavoured as fresh fruit was demonstrated by the Horticultural Division, Dominion Department of Agriculture. Consisting only of pulped fruit slightly diluted with water and with sugar and small amounts of gelatin and ascorbic acid added, the dessert is frozen while being mixed and aerated by a paddle beater. Although entirely free of butterfat, it has the texture of ice cream.

Prepared in this fashion, most fruits retain their natural colour, from the pastel shades of melon and greenage to the ruddiness of raspberries. The flavour varies from the barely perceptible peach through the subtle rhubarb to the raspberry, which tastes even richer than fresh picked berries. The tart black and red currants are more pleasing to many with meals rather than as dessert.

The purpose of the Department of Agriculture in perfecting this dessert is to conserve food. Much fruit is wasted when a crop ripens rapidly in warm, muggy weather. By this new process the fruit can be pulped and frozen immediately, and later, sugar and stabilised by gelatin.

Result of several years of research by the Horticultural Division, this product can now be manufactured commercially, as complete particulars of the formulae and processes have been made available to the trade by the Department.

The policy of making its discoveries available to industry is in line with the Horticultural Division's earlier improvements in dehydrating apples and in fruit storage at low and high temperatures. Under the direction of M. H. Davis, tropical countries.

Paid-Up List

Mrs. C. Lovel Grimsby May '49
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An optometrist is one who can turn a blue Mandinka a red letter day.

CAN PEACH TREES IN BLOOM BE THINNED BY CHEMICALS?

(Experimental Farms News)

Virtually all varieties of peach require thinning to ensure fruit of good size and prevent over-bearing. Any method which would eliminate the expensive hand labour required would be of definite value to the peach growing industry.

Experiments with sodium dinitro-ortho-cresol at the Experimental Station, Harrow, in 1947 indicate that it is possible to thin peach trees partially with this chemical if applied in full bloom and under ideal conditions. There are, however, certain very definite limitations to the use of chemical thinning agents on peaches in bloom which must be taken into consideration. The most important limitation is the possibility of frost occurring after the chemical application, which might destroy the remaining fruits and result in a crop failure. A second limitation is that of dull cool weather predominating during the bloom period and resulting in an indifferent set of fruit which might be drastically reduced if a bloom thinning chemical were used.

In 1947 peach trees came into bloom the middle of May at Harrow and warm clear days encouraged bee activity. Under such conditions it was thought that a bloom thinning agent might be of some value and an experiment was made using the varieties Oriole, South Haven and Halehaven. Elgetol, a proprietary DN product, was applied at concentrations of one and two quarts in 100 gallons of water when the trees were in full bloom. Some damage to the foliage and wood of the trees was expected but none developed during the season regardless of variety.

In June a routine thinning was given all trees in the experiment and the time required to thin each tree was recorded. When the results were compiled, it was found that the trees which received 2 quarts of Elgetol in 100 gallons of water were thinned in one-third the time expended on the check trees.

These experiments did indicate that the crop can be reduced somewhat by chemicals but the use of such chemicals in bloom is restricted to seasons when the peaches are medium to late coming into bloom coupled with bright clear weather to ensure bee activity and, therefore, pollination.

ATTENTION VETERANS INFORMATION FOR YOU

Any ex-service men and women and dependents wishing information, advice or assistance regarding War Disability Pensions, Treatment, Allowances, etc., can obtain this information from the Canadian Legion Service Bureau Officer, who will be at the Legion Club, Depot Street, Grimsby, from 8.00 to 10.30 in the evening of Wednesday, May 12th, 1948.

Canadian Legion Service Bureau Officer—Mr. J. A. Warren.

This service applies to all Veterans whether or not they are members of the Legion.

AQUATIC ANIMALS

Though many animals display their ability to swim, nearly all four-footed creatures do so when necessity arises. The tiger, for example, is not usually regarded as a swimmer, but he has been known to cross not only rivers, but an arm of the sea a mile wide in the Singapore Strait. Elephants are well-known swimmers and can cross the mile-wide Brahmaputra; a kangaroo has been known to swim two miles; and even horses and rabbits have taken to the water in absolute necessity. A study of the subject seems to lead to the conclusion that all animals have inherited the ability to swim.

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Proponent of a new dental technique which he claims eventually will eliminate the necessity for bridge work, Dr. Stephen A. Ferlita examines the teeth of a patient, Mrs. J. P. Sansone, of Atlanta. Dr. Ferlita, who has practiced in Atlanta 31 years, reported that abscessed and rotten teeth may be extracted, cleaned and rebuilt, and replaced in the mouth. He has been performing the operation since last September.

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